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Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDL. FEE
x 9=	\$-
x 39=	\$-
x 130=	\$-
TOTAL	\$-

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDL. FEE
x 18=	\$-
x 78=	\$-
x 260=	\$-
TOTAL	\$-

☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit the following Preliminary Amendment for entry in the above-identified application prior to examination.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

- ✓ On page 1, before line 1, please insert -- BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.
- ✓ On page 4, line 28, please insert -- SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.
- ✓ On page 5, before line 1, please insert -- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

- ✓ Please cancel claim 9 without prejudice.

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